

# Bow Island Review

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### Bow Island

We report to report that Mr. J. Pollitt was taken ill last Saturday and up to the time of going to press, was not much better, he is attended by Dr. Cairns. Mr. Pollitt's son is doing the milk round.

Miss Katherine Packer returned this week from Anne and will spend the winter with her parents here.

The Rev. Leacroft of Taber came to Bow Island on Saturday and held services in All Saints Church on Sunday and returned to Taber on Monday's midnight train. The Rev. Leacroft will hold services here the last Sunday in each month.

Mr. P. Behring of Winnifred was a business visitor to town Saturday evening last.

Messrs. Redknapp, Martz and Weigel were business visitors here on Tuesday and Wednesday last.

Constable Bradner was on business in the Pleasant View district on Monday and Tuesday.

Mr. W.S. Benn and Miss J. Deane of the Agricultural School of Raymond visited the schools of Bow Island and vicinity in connection.

Messrs. A. Walsh and A. Swennumson were business visitors to Burdett last Tuesday.

### NOTICE

U.F.A. and U.F.W.A.  
Pres. L.D. James Pres. Mrs. H. Schornack  
Sec. G. Monds Sec. Mrs. G. Calder  
Will meet on Saturday  
August 13th.

### Death of Caruso

**World Famous Singer  
Dies in Naples**

All the world is grieving in sympathy with Naples over the death of that wonderful Tenor singer Enrico Caruso, who died in Naples last Tuesday 2nd August.

In the death of Caruso the world loses a real asset—a real man—a man of value to all humanity—who brightened the world and leaves it better than he found it.

Caruso was only 47 years old, being born in Naples, Italy in 1874.  
Requiescat in pace.

### Bow Island

Mr. A. Mill left for Irvine last Wednesday 3rd August for harvesting.

Mr. McHugh with wife and family left last Tuesday the 2nd August for two months visit to Monkton, Ont.

Mr. Telfs is suffering from Hay Fever. Dr. Cairns is in attendance.

Rev. F.R.B. Leacroft who is in charge of the Parishes of Taber, Kinsburgh, Grassy Lake, Burdett, Bow Island and surrounding Districts will be in Bow Island the last Sunday in each month, and will be staying at the Hotel here, where any messages can be sent or phoned to Mrs. Ridgdale.

In any emergency as Sickens, Infant Baptism etc., the Rev. F.R.B. Leacroft can be reached by phone early in the morning or late in the evening by calling up 121 Taber, during the day Rev. Leacroft is always busy with his outside parish duties, but he is most anxious to assist in any case he may be desired.

### Store Broken Into At Pleasant View

**Smart Work Done By Our  
Local A.P.P. in making  
Capture**

Last Thursday night the 26th, July, the store owned by George H. Redknapp at Pleasant View was broken into, and goods about \$80. in value were stolen and up to the present time, none of the goods have been found.

The next morning Mr. Redknapp phoned to Constable Bradner of the A. P. P. at Bow Island, who immediately proceeded to the scene of the robbery and very skillfully followed up "various clues" which led to the final arrest of a man named Steier Arturs.

The accused was brought up by 11 a.m. before Judge Lomas of Burdett who after going most exhaustively into the case, hearing all the evidence, and reading the usual warning to the accused, committed the accused for trial at the next Court of competent Jurisdiction.

Constable Bradner then received the "Warrant of Commitment" and escorted the accused to Lethbridge on the midnight train and delivered the prisoner over to Headquarters.

### The Chautauqua

The Chautauqua has come and gone and gone with Fifteen Hundred Dollars of hard-earned Canadian money, which many a Store-keeper and many a Farmer around here could do with in the coming Hard Winter.

Why is it that the Chautauqua people must have their Money Guaranteed to them?

Why can't they take the same Sportsmen's chance as any other Theatrical company or Circus or show?

We have been told by some of the Showmen and Circusmen that they have had to pay \$25. for being allowed to stop here and they don't have anything Guaranteed to them, not much, but they are good Sportsmen, why can't the Chautauqua do the same and not worry people to Guarantee them \$15.00?

If the Chautauqua Show was any good that very fact of being a good show would draw the Crowd.

When you Guarantee to pay them \$15.00 next year—do you know what kind of people are coming here next year? or whether you will make enough out of your Business or Crops, to hand out \$15.00 without a struggle? of course you can't tell—so don't Guarantee \$15.00 to any show, is our advice to everyone.

You might just as well in fact, it would be better to Guarantee between you to pay \$1500 to your Hardware man, your Grocer or any other Store keeper—for keeping a Big Stock for your convenience for the whole year for you, as to Guarantee any Chautauqua—there is no rhyme or reason why they should have any Guarantee—reasonable people are having less and less to do with such Guarantees.

### St. Michael's Church

Mass will be celebrated at 9:30 a.m. on Sunday August 7th.

### Sugar is Cheaper

Sugar is away cheaper now, at Montreal it is only \$7.00 a 100lbs and the indications point to even Lower Prices soon—so maybe we will be allowed to have Sugar at a Reasonable Price here soon. Well, here's hoping.

### Creston B.C. News

Mr. Geo. Bruce returned home last week after a two months sojourn near Edmonton.

A bush fire of unknown origin started east of town Saturday evening in an old timber limit, gave the fire fighters a warm reception. Altho' still burning it is under control.

Karl Peles and Gerald Timmons after visiting the city of Spokane a few days went to work on a threshing crew near Lethbridge, Wash, report wheat making \$8 bu. on the average.

Mr. Eddie and Lyman Reams of Bow Island enroute by motor from Oregon to Bow Island stopped with friends here overnight.

Mr. Reams traded for antelope farm and seems much delighted with that country.

The new addition to the Fruit Growers building is nearing completion and will be ready to handle the apple crop having installed a grading machine and central packing station.

The Duck Creek ball team put one over the local team Sunday by a score of 13 to 10.

M.R. Kirsch and son who have been working near Kitchener, started for the harvest fields of Alberta last Monday.

Quite a number of tourists are passing through here at present.

Five passing out to cross on the boat.

The road is now open to the Kuskoosek landing where the cars can be loaded on the boat, before this was opened the cars to Nelson had to be loaded at this place and shipped, costing about \$27.00 the present rate to cross is \$25.00.

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**Farmers**  
Support your own Paper by Subscribing to the Bow Island Review which studies the interests of every Farmer.

## Police Court News

### Court Sittings continued from 2 to 11 p.m.

Re Charles Huot information of Mine Act.

The accused Chas. Huot appeared at Winifred on Saturday July 30th, before J. Sergeant P.M. of Etzikom and W.H. Scott J.P. charged read as follows, Charles Huot, did on or about July 19th, 1921 at Sec. 27-12-10-4 did interfere with ventilation appliances by tearing down and taking away the extension of a mine shaft contrary to Sec. 101, of the Mine Act, as the defendant could not speak English Mr. P. DeBarr was sworn in as Interpreter.

Julius Lavine sworn, stated he owed the mine in question and had sold the mine to the defendant about August 23rd, 1920. Huot gave the mine back on July 10, 1921. Lavine examined the mine with Huot on that date and the mine was in good condition at that time after which he went on July 20th following the extension of the air shaft missing this was composed of lumber, I went down in the mine and inspected it and found the ventilation in mine cut down about 90, I told Huot that it was against the law to remove anything in the shape of lumber from a mine shaft and also told him he had removed the Bulk print from the mine which I sent taken up at the entrance of the mine. Lavine then produced his Original Mine Lease also copy of Huot's to the mine Inspector giving up the mine to Chas. Lavine.

Mr. Huot, sworn and evidence interpreted, I left the mine so I found it when I took over the mine from Lavine the air shaft was not present, at the top, the top of the shaft being even with the ground.

Bonnie Ann who owns the mine next to Lavine loaned me some boards to put an extension to the air shaft and I was to return those boards. I could get some to replace them. I put these boards around the air shaft as there was a space between the ground and the shaft. Mr. Huot did not nail the boards to the shaft, and gave the boards back to Mr. Ann on the morning of July 16th and returned the mine to Lavine in the afternoon. D. Ann, sworn, and said that he is a miner and lives on Section 27-12-10-4. Mr. Huot told me sometime ago that if he had some boards he would fix the air shaft in the mine in question as he did not think it was safe, the air shaft only being level with the ground, I told Huot have some boards he was to return them when he could buy some later as I needed the lumber, the mine inspector came to inspect my mine and I went with him when he examined Huot's mine and found everything O.K. I examined the boards I lent Huot and they were not fastened to the air shaft. Huot returned the boards to me on July 16th.

His worship after hearing the evidence stated there was no evidence to show that the defendant had removed any lumber from the mine other than the lumber he had borrowed from Mr. Ann and that the complainant had stated in part of his evidence he had found the mine in good condition when he examined it. When Mr. Huot gave it back to him on July 16th, except that Huot had removed the boards that Mr. Huot had put there himself, case dismissed complainant to pay the costs.

Re John Wagel junior, the accused appeared at Winifred Saturday afternoon July 30th, before J. Sergeant P.M. of Etzikom and W.H. Scott J.P. of Winifred. George Ekroth complainant. Charge read that John Wagel on or about June 29th, 1921 at or near Andrews Winifred's farm did being an accessory before the fact each hold of the complainant's horses and held same while Ralph Schlachter assaulted the complainant with a club, this assault on the evidence given took place at a baseball match south of Whita on June 23rd. The complainant stated that the accused held the horses at the time he was assaulted by Ralph Schlachter near Andrews Winifred's yard, Schlachter had hit him with a club and knocked him out of the buggy.

John Ekroth age 16 years, sworn, corroborated the previous witness's evidence also Ida Ekroth. The accused stated on his own behalf that he had caught the team when Ekroth got out of the buggy to prevent them running away.

His worship found the accused guilty of the charge and gave him a \$50 fine and costs.

Re Ralph Schlachter junior.

The accused appeared at Winifred on Saturday afternoon at 5 o'clock before J. Sergeant P.M. of Etzikom and W.H. Scott J.P. of Winifred. George Ekroth complainant.

Charge read that Ralph Schlachter of Pleasant View on or about June 23rd 1921 at or near Andrews Winifred's farm did assault the complainant, Geo. Ekroth by hitting him with a club the accused pleaded guilty but stated that he had not hit the complainant on the head but that he hit him on the arm with a small stick and the club produced in court, the club produced in court being half of a single-tree of hard wood.

His worship gave him a good lecture as well as the parents who were in court and said that these quarrels among neighbours might lead to more serious crimes and warned the accused to be careful in the future and as this was his first offence he imposed a fine of one dollar and costs.

Re Anton Schlachter.

The accused appeared at Winifred on Saturday July 30th, at 2 p.m. before J. Sergeant P.M. and W.H. Scott J.P. of Winifred. John Ekroth complainant.

The charge read that Anton Schlachter of Pleasant View did on or about July 1st, 1921 at or near New Dale School did on assault on the complainant John Ekroth by striking him with his fist and used threatening language, accused pled guilty, after hearing the evidence in the case from which it appeared that son of the complainant and one of the defendants boys were quarrelling at a picnic at New Dale School on the above date, Ekroth went over to where the boys were quarrelling and asked Schlachter what he was doing to his boy as Schlachter it appeared was encouraging his boy to lick Ekroth's boy, Schlachter then it was alleged struck him and used threatening language and was stopped by Andrew Winifred.

His worship gave the accused a good lecture as he was the father of one of the boys should have stopped him instead of encouraging him, he was found guilty and find one dollar and costs.

Re John Wagel Senior.

The accused appeared at Winifred on Saturday July 30th, before J. Sergeant P.M. of Etzikom and W.H. Scott J.P. of Winifred. Conrad Ekroth was the complainant.

The charge read that on or about July 24th, 1921 at or near St. Anthony's Church did assault the complainant Conrad Ekroth by striking him with his fist. The accused pled guilty. After hearing the evidence, which in this case appeared had been the contents of petty quarrels between the complainant and defendants on shortly before this at a school picnic, in this case had caught hold of the complainant near the church and struck him what he had against the boy Ekroth, stating that Wagel had struck at him with his fist and knocked his hat off.

Complainant denied this but admitted he caught hold of him just at the time he had against his boy. His worship told him that he ought have been charged with a more serious offence of disturbing a meeting for Religious Worship, found guilty this being his first offence he was fined one dollar and costs.

Re Andrew Winifred.

The accused appeared at Winifred on Saturday evening before J. Sergeant P.M. and W.H. Scott J.P. of Winifred.

The charge read that Andrew Winifred of Winifred did on or about the 1st, day of July 1921 at or near New Dale School did commit an assault on the complainant by choking him with his fist and used threatening language. The accused pleaded guilty. His worship found that Wagel had struck at him with his fist and knocked his hat off.

ing language. The accused pleaded guilty. N. Wagel gave evidence that the defendant had choked him with his hands at a picnic on July 1st, and that he had used threatening language. Wagel shouted to Winifred you have got the wrong man that was at the other fight. I told him it was my brother, and then he said excuse me.

Harvey Morris gave evidence, stating he was at the picnic on above date, he did not see the affair but Wagel showed him his throat which was scratched and marked and said that Winifred had choked him, Charles Stuppig gave evidence of being at the picnic but had not seen the fight. He saw the complainant lying in a wagon and Wagel had told him Winifred had choked him, his neck was scratched and red and he could see that someone had enough hold on Wagel, he appeared to be sick. His worship found the accused guilty and said that as this was his first offence he would impose the same penalty as in the other cases as this was the last case to be disposed of. He also gave the parties concerned in all the other cases a severe talking and warned them if they came up again on the same charge, he would impose the maximum penalty, accused fined one dollar and costs.

Miss Mary and Josephine McNeill of Medicine Hat, are visiting Mrs. T. C. Godfrey this week.

Mr. A. S. Longman of Raymond, Agricultural School, acted as Grain and Butter Judge, M. L. Freng cattle Judge, W. F. Wilson sheep and Hog Judge, Mr. D. McDonald as Horse Judge, Mr. Westbrook of Lethbridge as Poultry judge and Mrs. Mould of Taylor presided over the Ladies' Fair and Domestic Demonstration.

## Bow Island

The Ten and sale of Cakes etc. held last Saturday, by the Ladies' Altar Society, was a great success, the sum of \$82, being realized, which showed a good deal of energy and work by the Ladies.

The Ladies' of the Altar Society met on Thursday at St. Michael's Hall, a very good attendance is reported, and an excellent meeting was held.

Mrs. Pever is reported very sick at the time of going to press. Dr. Cairns is attending.

Mrs. Vm Hyland is also sick here at the house of her mother (Mrs. Mary Whitney).

Mr. Gladman returned on Thursday from the east, after his vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Roach are away at Swallow, for a time.

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## WINNIFRED

Many have commenced cutting grain. Headers being used, some from west cutting River, the yield is not just what was expected, the extreme heat of July has taken the moisture heat, late grain is headed out pretty short and changing color, rain is needed badly.

The Lethbridge League Baseball team played on July 23rd. Burnett vs Winnifred, the honors and prizes were won by the Winnifred team. Score 11 to 6. Burnett, Batteries: Snowden, Knox and Davidson. Winnifred: Batteries: Holder, Dennison and McLean. Holder is on the Line drive, regular and sure batted the ball.

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Mr. Clarence Purcell of Carmangay is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Burch this week.

Mr. Tom Burke came down from Cobalt last week.

Mr. Jas. Larsen and Mr. Fred Pretty made a business trip to Lethbridge on July 25th.

Mr. Tom Parker made a trip to Medicine Hat last week.

Miss B. Shorthouse of Fernie, B.C., spent the week visiting at the home of Mrs. and Mrs. W. H. Burch.

Mrs. Joe Bourgeois of Medicine Hat was the guest of Mrs. Ed. Gosselin last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bradner were business callers in Winnifred Saturday.

Wincheombe Bros., Billy McLean and Tommy Dunn motored McLeod to take in the Fair there on August 3rd, and 4th.

Wilkinson Bros. of Edmonton were large exhibitors of fancy poultry this year.

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Mrs. Cates of Essex Ont. is visiting her daughter Mrs. A. F. Hodgson for a few weeks.

Mrs. H. Enderby and family are the guests of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Goss, Dunn.

Mr. and Mrs. T.C. Godfrey have moved in the Whitney Cottage this week.

Mr. Sergeant of Etzikom was here on Saturday last for court duties as police magistrate, the court sittings lasted from 2 p.m. until 11 p.m. which drew a large crowd from towns and district.

## Schedule "A" MORTGAGE SALE

PURSUANT to the Order of His Honour Judge Jackson made herein the 18th day of July, A.D. 1921 in a certain action wherein the Imperial Life Assurance Company of Canada is Plaintiff and Frank C. McLane Administrator of the estate of Thomas Luther Kerns deceased, is Defendant, the following lands in the Province of Alberta, namely the south-east quarter of section Twenty-Five (25) Township Nine (9), Range Ten (10), west of the 4th Meridian, RESERVING to the Crown all mines and minerals will be offered for sale by public auction on Wednesday the 10th day of August A.D. 1921 at the hour of twelve o'clock noon at the post office in the Town of Bow Island in the Province of Alberta. SALE will be subject to a reserved bid to be fixed by this Court.

TERMS and conditions will be made known at the time of the sale or can be ascertained from the undersigned Solicitors.

The said land is situate about eleven miles South of Winnifred and about fifteen miles South-East of Bow Island. Upon the said land there is said to be a house. About 50 acres of the said land has been broken. All of the said land is good level arable land.

Dated at the City of Lethbridge, in the Province of Alberta, this 18th day of July, A.D. 1921.

CONYBARE CHURCH - DAVIDSON  
Barristers, Solicitors,  
Conybare Block,  
LETHBRIDGE - ALBERTA

GEORGE P. PORTER,  
Lethbridge, Alberta,  
AUCTIONEER.

## Distributing Immigrants



A family group of settlers in Canada.

Two thousand immigrants have arrived in a single day at the port of Quebec. They have landed from three Canadian Pacific Ocean Liners: they have been inspected, examined and docketed by officials and inspectors from Northern Europe, dairy workers, their foreign money has been changed for Canadian currency, and remains in the process of distribution and assimilation. Two thousand crowd the Government Immigration Hall, waiting to make another leg of their long journey. They have come from Everywhere and are going to Everywhere. The map of Europe and of the British Isles are represented in this mass of humanity sturdy Scandinavians from Denmark, Poles by the group and family, fleeing from their war-torn country; all the new Little Lords created by the League of Nations have contributed their sons, as all the Central European countries in Ukraine, Russian, and the Slavic, and Russian, Swiss, and Italian are also represented in the composite crowd, all making a new home in a day that illustrates the mixture of races in this land of promise. Another shipload follows those of the Corsican and Tunisian. The Malta brings an exclusively British army of immigrants, the latter coming the British Isles as the foreign signers do Europe, while the way from John O'Grada to the Land's End is heard from. The Government is through with them and the Canadian Pacific Railway practically takes charge. Both unite in directing the big crowds to their respective trains. Long lines of cars—tourist, standard and coaches—parallel the Hall, each clean and well-lit for their occupation. Big painting locomotives are ready for their task. A large staff of officials and train men are on their job, keeping their heads as well as their tempers under strong temptation to lose both. Some of the newcomers are nervous and frightened, some are excited and fiery, and some are 'freaks' in the word of a Scotch observer. Perhaps we would be, too, if we were in their place, a long way from home and not quite sure of tomorrow. Carefully and cleverly the passengers are stowed away—the westward-bound in trains that will lead them to the going down of the sun; the Toronto, for instance, are in trains bound for that centre. Families are given cars to themselves, women folk are treated the same, and the single men have other cars to themselves. Stocking together like birds of a feather, and that have the same destination, are also permitted to keep intact. The women-filled cars are in charge of trained Government "mad doctorettes" who render a sympathetic service in a kindred way that only travelling women and girls can appreciate, especially where babies are present, as they are most numerous. This train after train is filled but not more than is capacity, and started—no new experience in the old Province of Ontario, and as Quebec city is crowded, and the old Province of Ontario, the largest of all Canada, passes the greatest of the habitants, all eyes are centred on the landscape and the New World. X.

# History Of Navigation Of Hudson Bay Waters For Over Two Centuries

For two hundred and twenty-two years, sailing ships bore cargoes to the bay, but in 1891 the first steam propelled vessel took in the York Factory supplies. This was the "Erik" formerly a noted whaler in the Greenland sea. This vessel and her sister ships were "owned" by the "Grey of Peterhead, Scotland, a name that was a household word in the whaling industry for generations.

Captain Alex Grey, one of the three brothers, was in command of the "Erik" on this first voyage for the H.B.C. The "Erik" was a fine ship and, like all vessels in the Polar trade, massive in her construction. Though steam propelled, she carried sails, and was square rigged.

The sailing ships continued operation to James Bay until 1905, when the "Discovery," Captain Scott's ship of Antarctic fame, came into the possession of the company, and sailed for Charlton Island, James Bay, under Captain Grey.

From 1751, when the "Sea Horse" (Captain John Fowler) cast anchor in the Moose heads up to 1905, when the "Erik" commanded by Captain Norman Freakey, arrived at Charlton Island, Moose Factory had been an annual sailing ship. Such a record must be unique in the annals of shipping and surely bears testimony to the character and quality of the "Erik" and her crews. They were no fair-weather sailors.

It is worthy of note, too, that during the long and hard winter of 1905, the latter part of the 18th and early 19th centuries, when privateering was considered the sport of the day, the H.B.C. ships arrived at Moose Factory regularly at the Bay ports. No doubt this was due to the activity and vigilance of Nelson's frigates. When the battle of Trafalgar was fought on October 21st, 1805, the "Prince of Wales" (Captain Hawke) was near England, or perhaps he just arrived for he had sailed from Moose Factory on September 14th of that year.

In 1815 the year of the battle of Waterloo, two H.B. ships, the "Eddystone" (Captain John Turner) and the "Hudson" (Captain John Davidson), were sent to Moose Factory. Both ships wintered at Charlton Island in June. In the following October 20th, presumably having run back from the straits on account of ice. In 1901, the "Erik" was on the scene, replacing the "Erik" on the Labrador. York Factory and Churchill route.

The sailing companies' establishments on the Labrador coast date back to the early years of the last century. In 1860 when Donald A. Smith (Lord Strathcona) was appointed Governor of the country, a steam auxiliary was constructed in England for work on the coast as well as in the interior. This ship was in commission for about 30 years in which she was sold. But four years ago she was wrecked off the coast of Newfoundland.

She was noted chiefly for her strength of construction, being close-ribbed and with double planking of oak and greenheart. In her lower there were eight feet of solid oak. As an ice puncher she was of the finest. Soudy Grey, her master "whacked" almost every obstacle that came in way—barring bears. I mention this ship more particularly on account of its associations with Lord Strathcona. He made many trips from England to the Labrador coast on her. Even this ship must have been slow for his active mind and temperament, for he was only happy when every stitch of canvas was crowded on. She carried sunding sails, and when Lord Strathcona was a passenger—as the stories go—there was no old lost matter loose gentle reply might have been listening—Extract from article by H. M. S. Cutler in "The Beaver."

"Limerick's" Origin.  
A correspondent has ascertained the origin of the name "limerick" as applied to a nonsense verse of five anapaestic lines. According to the Standard Dictionary, "limerick" was usually extemporaneous compositions produced at convivial parties in Ireland by each individual in the entire party joining in a singing chorus in which were the words "Will you come up to Limerick?" from which it is supposed the name is derived.—New York Times.

General U. S. Grant was of Scotch ancestry, but all his family had been American in all its branches for eight generations.

Metal screws have been made since 236 B.C.—

## Markets Demand Hornless Cattle

Export Shippers Say the Practice is Imperative.

"The practice of dehorning cattle is almost universal so far as high-grade beef steers are concerned. The majority of feeders and practically all the well-finished steers that appear on the market today have been dehorned."

This statement was officially made even before the war by the United States Department of Agriculture. Why should the same practice not be adopted as well by Canadian farmers? Commission men and export shippers in both eastern and western provinces say the practice is imperative. They point to results in the States today where, between horned and dehorned, there is often a considerable premium paid for the dehorned.

Many hundreds of thousands of cattle a year are undoubtedly lost in Canada through bruising caused by the horns. The damage done to the flesh of otherwise carefully prepared meat animals often surprises those who see the carcasses hang on the racks in the packing plants.

Yet the positive advantage of dehorning to the producing farmer himself are so plain that it seems strange that the first move has not been taken by him in the marketing end of the livestock industry—Industrial and Development Council of Canadian Meat Packers.

## Good Neighbors

Growth of Friendly Feeling Between Canada and U.S.

It is through likely that by the end of the year Washington will have a minister from Canada named among the other envoys. The United States, in turn, will send a minister to Ottawa.

There were never two countries living side by side in such perfect peace, says the Buffalo Express. No armed forces need patrol the border between them. There is not a battle ship in the world. For more than 100 years there has not been a flicker of trouble. In normal times, the trade between the United States and Canada is enormous, and even with the present rate of exchange, which is most unfavorable to our neighbors, there continues to be a commercial activity. There should be more direct relationship between the two lands, and it is to be hoped that before the new year it will have been accomplished.

Be fair to your local merchants. Ask to see his goods and compare prices before sending your money to the mail order houses. You will find that they pay.

In the White Sea ice froze after August, 30 miles out, and does not melt until July.

The Shah of Persia possesses an Arabian horse of solid gold, valued at \$100,000.

## Sport A-Plenty on Vancouver Island all the Time



CHIEF SCULPTOR OF THE VANCOUVER BOATING CLUB

When Captain Vancouver discovered Vancouver Island 128 years ago, he found it a paradise for the sportsman. The island is rich in game, particularly the deer, which is the most numerous. It is also rich in fish, particularly the salmon, which is the most famous. The island is also rich in game, particularly the deer, which is the most numerous. It is also rich in fish, particularly the salmon, which is the most famous.

Of a thousand persons, only one reaches the age of one hundred years, while only one couple in eleven thousand live to celebrate their diamond wedding.

Spend your money at home, thereby helping your own town and local merchants.

## Prince is a Busy Man

Prince of Wales Leads a Busy Life Even in England.

"A man's house—the home of a man's man" is the description of York House, the Prince of Wales' official residence, in a new biography of the Prince, by Mrs. L. J. Sanders, which was published on the Prince's 27th birthday.

The rooms which the Prince occupies are the same as those in which his father and mother, as Duke and Duchess of York, lived for some time during his childhood. The two beautiful, but quietly furnished, reception rooms adjoining the simple dining room on the ground floor are now devoted almost entirely to his secretariat. The plain square entrance hall contains some interesting trophies of his active service, including the bass drum and two side-drums of his regiment and two bugles used by the Grenadier Guards in France.

Some fine old English tapestries relieve the bareness of the wide, white paneled staircase.

The Prince's own apartments overlooking Cleveland Row, are extremely modest and business-like and consist of a lofty formal reception room and his own small sitting room. The latter is comfortably, but simply, furnished in old mahogany, of Chippendale design. A red-green is the dominating color of the carpet, upholstery and curtains.

A massive desk, usually covered with papers, proclaims it to be the workshop of a very busy man.

It is characteristic of the Prince that he sleeps in the little dressing room off his spacious bedroom. Like his grandfather, King Edward, the Prince is said to be a moderate reader. He dislikes cards and billiards, and is a great smoker, with a pronounced preference for a pipe. Above all, he is a young athlete, a real sportsman, and regulates his life, as far as possible, as one always in training.

His time when in London is fully occupied.

When World War Ended.

Professor Flinders Petrie, the eminent Egyptologist, prophesies that the end of the world will come about 200,000 years hence, by reason of the disappearance from the atmosphere of the last traces of carbonic acid gas, which will be replaced by oxygen and vegetable world with carbon, its essential food.

When a Siberian bride enters her husband's house for the first time she is to be prepared to show her skill in cooking. She is expected to give a dinner prepared with her own hands as a test of her education in the culinary art.

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## Ever Present Problem Of Dealing With Farm Help In The Western Provinces

The problem of farm help, which year after year in connection with the cultivation and harvesting of Western Canada's increasing crops, is a matter of such vital importance to the farmers, that it formed the basis of an interesting discussion at the Second Annual Conference of the Employment Service of Canada, held this spring at Regina. It was attended by representatives of the four western provinces, Director Bryce Stewart, Ottawa, and delegates from the United Farmers of Alberta, Saskatchewan and Manitoba.

Agriculture is a highly seasonal industry, divided into two work periods of April and May, and the second period August, September and part of October. These two seasons are by no means well divided and the date of commencing or closing of each season varies considerably.

The demand for men in either season, and especially in the harvest season, fluctuates widely, giving to the harvest labor operators a distinctly spotted character.

Wanted to the conditions are probably the greatest factor in causing fluctuations in the demand for men. Hot dry weather, causing grain to ripen quickly, will create a frantic demand for a large number of men, whereas a spell of cool, wet weather will result in a number of farmers refusing to accept men directed to their farms.

Varying degrees of weather over comparatively small areas will cause harvest in the various areas which should be done in succession, being all done at the same time. Harvest operations under even normal conditions never commence on the same date two years in succession. All fields, even in the same area, are not sown on the same date in the spring, thereby causing a difference in the date of ripening.

Rust, grasshoppers, hail, drought and rain are ever-present causes of fluctuations in the demand for harvest help, and many transient harvest laborers secure a surprisingly large number of jobs during the last seasons.

Added to the above uncontrollable causes of fluctuation must be considered the desire of farmers to complete harvest operations as early as possible. The fact that practically all the farmers' earnings are standing in the fields, the desire to complete the summer work as early as possible, and the fear of unfavorable fall weather, all tend to create a big demand for a few weeks, which demand then tapers off. Harvest laborers too frequently find themselves in the cities for the larger part of the year.

wages paid during the peak load and then rush back east for inside jobs before the coming winter. That the farmers and the unemployed both appreciate and realize the co-operation of the Employment Service was brought out at the Convention by the latter delegates who, to further this co-operation, presented recommendations dealing with the following points:

The abolition of private labor bureaus; standardization of wages in different provinces; one standard of wages for five months commencing April 1st, and for eight months commencing April 1st, one standard for three months commencing September 1st.

A periodical survey to estimate labor requirements for any period; farmers' associations should be used for this purpose. Labor bureaus should make every effort to adjust labor supply to requirements of the industry, and employment within the province, by making convenient the transfer of labor from agriculture to winter industries and vice-versa.

In adopting a standard of wages, due consideration should be given to the fact that the standard of wages suggested that \$40 to \$50 would be fair for the first five months and \$30 to \$40 for the eight months season. Rate of harvesting season to be adjusted at such time.

After discussion, it was agreed that farmers' organizations should use their influence to secure a more general use of the Employment Service, where offices are established, pointing out the value of picking up help indifferently, or seeking to secure it from other sources at varying wages; and agreed that the Employment Service should co-operate with the various farmers' organizations but on a campaign urging farmers to engage help early as an insurance against loss through labor shortage.

## To Reclaim Swampy Land

Muskeg Area In Northern Alberta Will Be Investigated By Federal Department.

With a view to finding the agricultural possibilities of the swampy land in certain parts of Alberta, north of Edmonton, a survey will be made this summer by a party of the federal department of agricultural experts. The question of developing these areas of muskeg will be fully investigated and following their report it is expected that experimental work will be carried on in a large scale, with a resultant benefit in Northern Alberta.

If the experimental work should prove to be as favorable as anticipated, several rich areas will be opened up for settlement, and the results will undoubtedly prove of great value to the agricultural industry of Alberta as a whole and to the farmers of Northern Alberta in particular.

Pots and saucers are now made semi-circular, with one flat side, so that two of them can be placed together. By this device two dishes may be cooked at one with the gas required for one.

As a trade inducement some of the large restaurants in London offer to supply free of cost the recipe and cooking instructions for any item on the menu that particularly pleases the palates of their customers.

A Roman military standard and a Roman general's camp chair, supposed to have been lost after the defeat of the Ninth Legion by Boadicea, have just been sold at auction in London.

Denmark is the only country which restricts its sovereignty to two names, used alternately. For over 400 years the Danes have had the names Christian and Fredericks as their monarchs.

York Cottage, King George's home in Norfolk, was built by the late King Edward for the members of his staff, and was then known as Bachelors' Cottage.

That thirty per cent. of runaway husbands have blue eyes is the declaration of a woman who has just started a spirited public controversy.

Three-quarters of the entire Jewish population of the United States are concentrated in ten cities which hold about 14 per cent. of the total population of the United States.

The Rocky Mountains of Central America form an almost barrier to the trade winds which blow over the Gulf of Mexico.







